

THE POCHE WEEKLY RECORD,
SATURDAY, JANUARY 10, 1880
LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

The Board of County Commissioners held their regular monthly meeting Monday, January 5th, and transacted the following business:

The resignation of W. A. Wilson, Constable of Hiko Township, was presented, read, and, on motion, ordered accepted and filed.

On motion, it is ordered that the sum of \$324.29, now remaining in the Treasurer's salary fund for 1879, be transferred to the general fund of the county. The Auditor's report and the quarterly statements of the Clerk and Recorder, were presented and ordered filed.

Upon application, it is ordered that James Pearson be and is hereby appointed Public Administrator and Coroner upon his filing a good and sufficient bond, conditioned according to law, in the sum of \$5,000, with good and sufficient sureties.

The following bills were presented and allowed:

J. M. Hanford, fees.....	\$36 25
C. H. Patchen, salary.....	375 00
D. A. Fuhs, salary.....	50 00
Indigent.....	150 00
E. F. Morton, salary.....	150 00
E. Eisenmann, salary.....	150 00
D. C. Clark, merchandise.....	33 00
L. Betz, burial of Cartwright.....	45 00
G. F. Philson, medical attendance.....	15 00
B. S. Crowley, "Records".....	8 50
Record Pub. Co., advertisement.....	30 00
P. Watkins, attending sick.....	25 00
W. L. McKee, jailer.....	70 00
W. L. McKee, feeding prisoners.....	15 00
G. R. Alexander, drugs.....	2 00
J. C. Henderson, filing papers.....	130 00
J. P. Kelley, rent.....	15 00
G. W. Chasler, error in tax.....	8 75
G. R. Alexander, salary.....	150 00
Bills of Mark Moore ordered laid over.	

COMMITTED SUICIDE.—Robert Reilly, an employee of the Hillside Company, Bristol District, was found last Wednesday morning in his cabin, with the doors tightly barred, and his throat cut from ear to ear. He had been drinking very heavily and was just getting over the effects of his late spree. The night he committed the deed he had been complaining to his room-mate, Jerry Healey, that he felt miserable and was very nervous, telling Healey to light a candle. As the candle was being lighted Reilly would blow it out, and in the interval would keep striking matches with which to light his pipe. Healey became alarmed at his peculiar manner and left him, going up to the boarding-house at the mine. The next morning Gerard Thomas, who is hauling ore from the Hillside, noticed his cabin door was shut, and that he was not at work upon the road, whereupon he broke down the door and found Reilly a corpse, with a deep gash in his throat, and a bloody razor and jack-knife lying on the bed. It is supposed that he committed the act while in a temporary fit of insanity. His body was taken down to Bristol, where it awaits a coroner's inquest.

THAT HIKO CORRESPONDENT.—"Naquintah," an Indian prostitute living at Hiko, writes a letter to the Eureka Sentinel, in which she rather severely criticizes Pioche justice, and we reluctantly are forced to admit that it contains some truth. It will be noticed in the letter that "Naquintah" is very careful to say nothing about McLane and tries to saddle the murder of Walborn upon McIntyre's shoulders. The people of Pahranagat Valley fear McLane, for he has won too much of former murders committed in that valley, and through fear that he will expose them, it is very probable that a number of the settlers of that locality will make a strong effort to save McLane's precious neck.

ATTEMPT TO POISON.—An attempt was made to poison Robert Clay, of Pahranagat Valley, the only man who saw McLane and McIntyre on the morning while they were on their way to murder Walborn. On the Saturday morning of the murder, before the deed was committed, McLane and McIntyre, accompanied by two squaws, drove up in a wagon to the ranch under the charge of Clay, and stopped a short time there. Clay being the only man known to have seen the murderers that morning, and is the main link in the chain which is to prove the guilt upon the prisoners, the friends of one of the prisoners thought it best to get Clay out of the way.

BRISTOL SILVER MINING COMPANY.—Work is being pushed ahead rapidly on the Gipsy and Cave mines, of the Bristol Silver M. Co., eleven men being employed. This number will be increased to twenty in a short time. One of the trustees of the company is now in Chicago purchasing machinery for a ten stamp mill which will be shipped at once, a contract having been made with Warnock & Co. to deliver the same during the month of February. As soon as the result of the Raymond & Ely chloridizers is made known, if a success, the Bristol Company will order the same.

SETTLE UP.—I intend leaving for the Eastern States on a business trip in a few days and all those indebted to the firm of J. Myers & Bro. will confer a favor by settling up their indebtedness previous to my departure.

W. R. WILSON.
We learn from the San Francisco Chronicle that Mike Tarpy, for several years book-keeper of the Meadow Valley Company in Pioche, has swindled a man out of \$75,000 in that city.

HAY AND GRAIN SCARC.
The county's money was counted by the Commissioners Monday and found to be correct.

Will our Pioche contemporary ascertain and explain for the information of Eastern shareholders in the Hillside, why it was that with so heavy a bullion product it was necessary to impose a heavy assessment upon the Hillside stockholders?—[N. Y. Mining Record.]

The Hillside Company of late have been under a very heavy expense, having to erect new hoisting-works, and are at present engaged building, and have about completed, refinery works and a water-jacket furnace, which are all greatly needed to work the mine to good advantage, and although the bullion product of the Hillside mine reached a very handsome figure—it ranking as the third largest base bullion producing mine in Nevada—yet it was not sufficient to cover the heavy expenses incurred in putting up these improvements. The Hillside Company have been troubled by an insufficient water-supply and were compelled to purchase the Fairview Springs, situated about ten miles distant from the furnace site, and the water will have to be brought by iron pipes, which also adds another heavy expense to the above. It takes considerable time and money to get a mining corporation in good running order, and the Hillside Company is no exception to this rule. We hope the above explanation will be satisfactory to the Eastern shareholders.

THAT RICH DISCOVERY.—Some three weeks ago the Miner, of Silver Reef, reported the arrival in that town of a man who had some very rich rock, who stated that he had discovered a very rich ledge in the lower end of Lincoln county. The samples assayed very high and created a little excitement among the individuals who were to have a slice of the "plum pudding." John Rice and another party fitted out Jim Cronan and sent him out with the discoverer to take a look at the new baby elephant and report whether it was a male or female. A prospector just up from the lower end of the county reports having met Cronan and his man. Jim told him when they arrived at the new find there was nothing there and the samples displayed were from Ivanpah. Before Jim left the Reef he wrote up here to Chandler that the rock was from Ivanpah, or else he was greatly fooled, and such proves to be the case. Jim has gone down in the vicinity of El Dorado Canyon in search of a gold ledge; we believe the same that he was in search of some two years ago.

DAY OFFICIAL LETTER.—The following is the official letter of A. S. Gould Superintendent of the Day mine, dated January 9th: "Our east incline winze, which we started last Tuesday, is progressing finely and looks better than we had hoped for. It is only down about six feet, but the whole bottom shows good ore. In my opinion, this is the vein which we struck in our west workings from the foot of the big cave, and which all at once pitched east, obliging us to come back to the tunnel level and start a new hoisting passage. We had no idea of finding the vein short of at least 30 feet. Getting it, as we do, so quickly and so handsomely, encourages us very much. On the last week we have made on our different explorations 39 feet, owing to being short-handed. The last shipment of ore to the Raymond & Ely mill was received at Bullionville last night. Battery assays about as usual."

WEATHER REPORT.—Following is the meteorological data for the month of December, 1879, at Pioche, made by E. Quann, S. C. U. S. A.: Highest temperature, 55 degrees, on the 16th; lowest temperature, 13 degrees below zero, on the 24th; monthly range of temperature, 68 degrees; greatest daily range of temperature, 27 degrees, on the 23d; mean of max. temperatures 38.6 degrees; mean of min. temperatures, 21.8 degrees; mean daily range of temperatures, 16.7 degrees; total rainfall or melted snow, 1.75 inches; prevailing wind from the south; total movement of wind, 6071 miles; max. velocity of wind and direction, 36 miles, from the south, on the 20th; rain fell on 9 days; Lunar halo on 7th.

FALLING FROM GRACE.—Thomas W. Brown, of the firm of Brown & Sparks, has deserted the bachelor brigade, and last Thursday evening he was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mary E. Butterfield. The newly mated pair have the sympathies of all their friends, and the Record congratulates the happy couple, hoping that they may receive their full share of the world's goods. In the language of Rip Van Winkle, "Here's to your good health, your family's good health, and may you all live well and prosper."

THE OUTLOOK.—Mrs. O'Connor has given birth to the first child born in Lincoln county for 1880, and the prospects are that a large number of her sisters will rapidly follow the good example set by Mrs. O'Connor. Mr. Spraker has ordered three dozen cradles, which would have been here ere this but for the freight teams being snow-bound, and the old man is nearly worried to death by individuals enquiring when the cradles will arrive. The prospects never looked brighter.

LEAP YEAR PARTY.—We understand that it is the intention of the young ladies of Pioche to shortly give a Leap Year party. The ladies will extend the invitations, engage the music, see about the supper, arrange the dances and attend to such other matters as will be necessary. The affair will undoubtedly be a success in every respect.

SETTLE UP.—F. W. Clute gives notice to all persons indebted to him that if they do not settle their accounts by the first of February he will place them in the hands of an attorney for collection. See notice.

We learn that a large portion of the Raymond & Ely roster yet lies in Eureka awaiting shipment.

BRISTOL ITEMS.

The Hillside furnace started up yesterday and is running well, with machinery in splendid working order, a large amount of ore on dump and from 35,000 to 40,000 bushels of coal on hand. As soon as the mine road is placed in good order the usual quantity of ore will be shipped daily, thus giving employment to a large number of teams. The Hillside have increased their underground working force at the mine to eighty men, and around the furnace and refinery to fifty, thus making a sum total of 130 employees of the company. The cupelle furnaces are in good working order and the refining of Hillside bullion commences to-day.

The Hillside Company have a bonanza in the Mendha, Highland District. A large body of high grade ore has lately been uncovered in the 110-foot drift off the old shaft, which is daily improving and opening out as the work goes down, and good ore is being taken out from all parts of the mine, especially from the old workings on the first level.

A walking match for a purse of \$250 will take place some time next week at the Bristol base ball grounds, between J. Cook, alias the "Butcher Boy," and a long-distance pedestrian, known in Bristol as "The Barber," in a ten-hour's gas-on-you-please. The barber is slightly the favorite among the betting fraternity.

Robt. Reilly, who cut his own throat Wednesday, remarked, rather jocosely, when pointing to the corpse of Edward Reilly, who was found frozen stark dead in his bed the other morning, saying, "That isn't me; that's the other Reilly." It is him now, for he is the other Reilly.

Work, which has been suspended upon the "Laura G" for some time, will be resumed this coming week. The lessees of this property it is said have let out a contract to run a tunnel, tapping the main ledge at a depth of 110 feet.

Bristol is to have a regular brewery as an addition to the numerous saloons in the place. Certain parties have taken the matter in hand, purchased two lots on lower Main street, and have already commenced building.

Jo Grant is running a windlass at the Mendha. He finds it a more profitable business than walking into Pioche at the dead of night to meet his lady love.

The roads from the terminus of the Utah Southern must be in a bad condition, as a large amount of freight for J. N. Curtis is overdue ten days.

The fair sex are becoming predominant in Bristol and young men scarce.

J. N. Curtis and wife arrived from the Bay Tuesday.

YOUNG MEN FOR WAR.—There has been a slight eruption in that Stake of the Faithful known as Panama. The young people of that village wanted the use of the school-house for the holidays so as to have parties and indulge in games best suited to their taste; but the Bishop, and the wise old boys of the Stake, remembering the devilry they used to be up to in their young days, concluded that it was best not to give the young lambs of the flock too much string, so they took charge of the dancing and amusement themselves. The young people objected to such high-handed proceedings of the old roosters, and are now erecting a large building, which is to be devoted exclusively to their own amusement. The young ladies have also rebelled and stand in with the boys, having declared themselves independent of the old people.

FEET FROZEN.—Captain Harmon, who had his arm broken while running a car at the Hillside mine last Summer and only recovered a short time since, has again met with a misfortune. On the 31st of December he started out from Blind Mountain to relocate some claims that did not have the requisite amount of assessment work done on them, and while he was out he had both of his feet badly frozen. We did not learn whether they could be saved from amputation or not.

I. O. O. F. INSTALLATION.—Tuesday evening Pioche Lodge No. 23, I. O. O. F., installed the following officers for the ensuing terms: R. H. Elam, N. G.; L. Sultan, V. G.; Hall Gear, R. S. N. G.; John Jane, L. S. N. G.; Richard Gordon, Secretary; D. A. Fuhs, Treasurer; R. H. Daws, R. S. V. G.; A. H. Emanuel, L. S. V. G.; Jake Hildebrandt, Warden; J. Sneath, Inside Guardian; J. V. Curtis, Outside Guardian.

WAS IT SPIKE.—In answer to a question in regard to the returned protested check, Secretary Pew telegraphed from San Francisco that he knew nothing about it; that he had not refused to pay any check. Some persons must have taken particular pains to have gone to the Day office when Secretary Pew was absent, and then out of spite had the check protested.

We have been informed that the young ladies of Panama have organized a "tar and feather" brigade. We suppose they intend giving the Bishop a new covering if he doesn't behave himself. Thank you, young ladies, but we are under the painful necessity of declining your kind invitation to visit you all. We will certainly have to appoint a substitute.

The Supreme Court has decided that Robert Frazer will have to go to White Pine county to stand his trial for the killing of Michael Donahue.

Owing to no order having come from below to that effect, the Raymond & Ely did not pay off last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown have our thanks for a donation of cake and wine.

DISTRICT COURT.

The Sixth Judicial District Court, in and for Lincoln county, met in Pioche on the 5th day of January, A. D. 1880, for the January Term. Present: Hon. Henry Rives, Judge; W. L. McKee, Sheriff; C. H. Patchen, District Attorney; J. M. Hanford, Clerk.

The setting of the civil calendar was ordered postponed until Tuesday, January 6th.

TUESDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

The civil calendar was called and disposed of as follows:

Culverwell vs. Yeocham; set for trial January 12th. P. Hanson vs. Newark S. M. Co.; set for trial January 12th. J. M. Clark ads. John Chisholm; passed—to be taken up upon one day's notice by either counsel.

The Court, upon its own motion, orders that twenty-four names be selected to serve as Grand Jurors for the January Term of this Court, A. D. 1880, and that a venire issue therefor, returnable January 12th, at 11 o'clock a. m.

THURSDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

In the matter of the estate of John Russell, deceased, the Administrator was granted to the 1st day of August, 1880, to make sale of the real estate at private sale, and his final report on same.

A COLD BATH.—During the recent severe cold snap various devices were resorted to for the purpose of keeping bedrooms and beds warm during sleeping hours, some of them being an excellent substitute, for the time being, for a stove, while others were not quite so good. It is of the latter kind of substitutes for warmth that we have a tale to unfold. A miner, who was on the night shift at the mine when the thermometer marked 15 degrees below zero, came home, and after breakfast, ensconced himself between a pair of cold sheets for his usual sleep. His wife had tried the hot flat-iron dodge to keep the bed warm for him, but some how or other it did not operate successfully, so acting on the advice of a neighbor, she procured a large bottle, and after her husband had dropped off to sleep, she filled the bottle with boiling water, corked it up and placed it at the foot of her old man in the bed. The boiling water made the bottle pretty warm, and the feet of hubby, every time he touched the bottle, were quickly withdrawn or else succeeded in giving a jerk to the bottle, so that after a short interval the cork came out, and the water flowed in a small stream over the bed. The effect was not perceptible while the water remained warm, but when it commenced to cool and creep up hubby's back and neck, it disturbed the sleeping beauty, and after a time of torture, about half asleep, he awoke to the full realization that he had been sleeping in a sheet of half ice. The honey moon having expired some time some remarks of a varied character were indulged in by the irate husband.

COASTING.—Somebody's darling will get hurt one of these days if he continues to coast down Meadow Valley where it turns into Main street. Teams are passing on Main street pretty often. The devilry of Meadow Valley street is so steep that when the coasters strike Main street they turn the corner most of the time at railroad speed. At that point there is no chance to stop, the coasters cannot see a team before they turn a corner, and a very slight chance to turn out of the way. The houses prevent the coasters from seeing the teams, or the teams from seeing the coasters. We have stood and watched the progress of this business for several days, expecting at any time that the surgeon would get a job and the Record a first-class item.

GRAND JURY.—A. S. Thompson, John Roeder, A. A. Young, S. H. Carman, W. C. Glisan, W. P. Goodman, G. R. Alexander, J. R. Duff, W. E. Griffin, J. B. Newman, G. H. Fish, Q. Sparks, David Cohn, John Galsbert, H. Jacobs, M. Armer, W. R. Wilson, C. M. Hopkins, B. F. Wells, George Haggerty, Sol Brischner, M. Schuetrich, Matt. Rogers and John Pascoe were on Tuesday last drawn as a Grand Jury by Judge Rives and Commissioner Clark to serve for the January Term of the District Court. The above named are required to be at the Court-house on Monday next, the 12th instant, at 11 o'clock a. m.

MARK W. MUGROVE, proprietor of the Yankee Fork Herald, has been in town several days. He reports the northern country as being the richest in the world and thinks it will boom next Spring. Pat Cullen is foreman of a couple mines there. T. R. Butler is Superintendent of several companies, and Judge L. C. Goodspeed, the veteran politician, is getting a good ready on for the coming political contest.

The boys have been informed that their teacher used to be a prize-fighter, and now have given up the idea of licking him.

JNO. N. CHASE returned here Wednesday from a trip to Salt Lake, Frisco and Farley's Park, having been absent two months.

The mail was brought in last Sunday on runners, the only time such a thing has occurred for the last seven years.

The weather is mild and the snow is melting rapidly, but there are lots of it yet remaining on the ground.

PIOCHE BULLION.—\$4,745 in bullion was shipped during the past week by Wells, Fargo & Co.

The eclipse which is to take place tomorrow will occur here at about half-past 3 o'clock p. m.

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its office without a settlement with or a dissolution
of partnership from me. All persons owing
money to the said firm, or who may become in-
debted to it pending a dissolution of partnership
and a satisfactory and legal settlement of
accounts between the said parties, are therefore
hereby cautioned not to pay any money to the
said Geo. S. Sawyer, unless in the presence and
with the consent of the undersigned.

LOST CHECK.
I HEREBY CAUTION THE PUBLIC IN RE-
GARD to a check of Twenty Dollars, drawn
by J. R. Duff, in favor of M. Barial. Such a
check cannot benefit the holder, as payment has
been stopped.
Pioche, November 28, 1879.
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W. R. WILSON.